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NOTE FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: JEC Briefing

On 19 September at the request of Bob Gates, DDI, [redacted] DD/SOVA, called Richard Kaufman, JEC staffer. [redacted] noted that the last press release from the JEC following an Agency briefing had used testimony out of context and distorted the message. He hoped that the release on the current briefing would be "more balanced." Implied, but clearly understood by Mr. Kaufman, was the message that the Agency's unstinting cooperation with the JEC could be in jeopardy if another highly publicized press release is issued.

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